

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): An In Plane Switching liquid crystal display comprising:

a first substrate, and a second substrate disposed opposite the first substrate and spaced apart from the first substrate a predetermined distance;

a liquid crystal layer interposed between the first substrate and the second substrate;

a plurality of common electrodes and pixel electrodes formed on the first substrate, parallel to each other; and

a plurality of conductive spacers formed on the common electrodes and the pixel electrodes, and electrically connected to the common electrodes and the pixel electrodes;

wherein each of the spacers comprises a spacer rib having a form of a parallelepiped and being made entirely from SiO₂, and a conductive film provided on all surfaces of the spacer rib.

Claims 2-17 (canceled)